

# To The Farmers of Covington, Coffee and Geneva counties.

The Moneyed Season of the Farmer is now at hand and we desire to handle your Funds through this Bank.

To the Depositing Farmer.

In depositing money in a bank, it is always best to deposit your money with a bank that will appreciate your business and with a bank that will accommodate you by loaning you money when you need it. This Bank thoroughly meets this requirement as we deal principally with the farming people.

Your Money will be absolutely safe when Deposited with this Bank for the following Reasons:

Every officer handling the money of this bank is under sufficient bond and we are protected by a policy of insurance against any loss either by robbery or hold-up and our loans are worth one hundred cents in the dollar.

## The Strength of this Bank is:

CAPITAL	\$50,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS	25,000.00
SHARE HOLDERS LIABILITY	50.00
Security to Depositors	\$125,000.00

**the Borrowing Farmer:** We have money to loan every farmer in our territory that has the proper security to offer.

Transactions with us receives the attention of one of our officers. If you do not understand the principle of banking call on us and we will thoroughly explain it.

OUR BUSINESS IS CONTINUALLY GROWING AND WE WANT TO ADD YOU TO OUR LIST OF CUSTOMERS.

## The First National Bank of Opp.

A. S. DOUGLAS, President, J. E. HENDERSON, Vice-President, CHAS. W. MIZELL, Cashier, R. O. HENLEY, Asst. Cashier.

## YD BROTHERS,

Health Accident

## FIRE

LIVE STOCK, BONDS, R. PLATE GLASS, RENT AUTOMOBILE

## NEY TO LOAN.

AT THE LOW RATE OF 7-1/2 PER CENT.

have placed loans for some of the best in the county, let me place a loan for you.

SEE J. N. HAM, Office Elba, Enterprise.

## Georgia Insurance Co,

MACON, GA.

Old Line Life Insurance Company, the appointment of Mr. Mell Boyd as agent for Coffee County.

By the latest device you can drop a coin in the slot and start a fire in the house. But the head of the family can start one simply by getting home six bits short in his week's salary.

Nothing can be found to take its place. If you are run-down you should take it.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World."

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

## Sheriff's Sale.

State of Alabama—Coffee County. Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Beat 6 of Coffee County, Alabama, on a judgment rendered therein against A. A. Godwin and in favor of C. B. Seay, I, J. B. Knight, Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door, in the town of Elba, Alabama, on Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 1910, within the legal hours of sale, the following property, described as follows: one bale of cotton in the Planters Warehouse, raised on land rented from Algo Hastings by A. A. Godwin, weighing about 577 pounds, as the property of the said A. A. Godwin.

J. B. Knight, Sheriff of Coffee County

The legislators to be elected next Tuesday will probably have a hot time when they meet in Montgomery. An effort to amend the prohibition laws is certain to be made and as certain to be resisted.

## Doctors

say take Cod Liver Oil—they undoubtedly mean Scott's Emulsion.

It would be just as sensible for them to prescribe Quinine in its crude form as to prescribe Cod Liver Oil in its natural state. In

## Scott's Emulsion

the oil is emulsified in a digest easy to take—easy to digest and easy to be absorbed in to the body—and is the most natural and useful fatty food to feed and nourish the wasted body that is known in medicine today.

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## DID YOU EVER

HAVE 4 Suits Pressed FOR \$1.00

BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW. We sell four tickets for a dollar. Each ticket good for one suit pressed and pressed.

Washington, Nov. 8—"Don't endorse your patrons," is the warning given postmasters and carriers in an order issued today by the postoffice department. It directs that in view of the difficulties arising through compliance with requests from patrons for endorsements, testimonials or guarantees as to their honesty, reliability, etc., of postmasters in their official capacity, should not write or sign statements of any such character.

**Parish-Calhoun.**

Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Calhoun, on Smith Avenue, Miss Annie Lou Calhoun and Mr. Monroe Parish were married, Rev. D. P. Lee performing the ceremony.

Miss Calhoun is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun and is a very charming young lady. Mr. Parish is a well known young business man of Elba.

The Clipper together with friends wish for them a long and happy life.

**Circus Robbed at Brundidge**

Troy Herald—While Wiedeman's Wild West show was at Brundidge last week the sleeping car of the owner, Mr. Wiedeman, was entered by some one, while the show people were at the show grounds, the car standing on a side track and secured \$800 in money and \$500 worth of diamonds.

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TWICE-A-WEEK.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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## Getting Rid of Ticks.

In some of the counties of South Alabama farmers are taking vigorous means to get rid of the Texas Cattle Tick. In Sumter and Mingo counties public dipping tanks are provided by the county authorities and in these tanks all cattle are "dipped" or driven through a weak solution of arsenic and water. This dipping is done twice a month and it is expected that the tick will be killed within six months.

The work is little trouble to the cattle owners and of no expense, since the tanks and the solution is furnished free by the counties, and are so located as to be in easy reach of every farmer. The tanks are large and deep enough for cattle to be driven through them and completely covered.

That this movement is of great importance to all who would raise cattle in this state is apparent to any one who will think of what the tick costs this state every year.

Under the present conditions all cattle shipped from the state have to be held for about 25 percent less than western cattle because the government requires that they be handled in such a way as to prevent infection of other cattle, and this is so expensive to the buyers that they cannot afford to pay the market price. With the tick eradicated this tax would be lifted, thousands of cattle that annually die from Texas fever would be saved, and the farmers of all this section would find the stock business very profitable.

Since it is impractical for individual farmers to fight the tick successfully, it is right that the county authorities do the work, and compel every one to comply with the law and in that way, kill out the tick in the whole county.

Thousands of cattle could be and would be raised in Coffee county for the market if it were not for the quarantine laws and loss from the tick. We can get rid of both these by a little systematic work and it should be done.

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## The Atlantic Coast Line.

Gets Into The Advertising Game and Is Showing Up This Section In Great Style.

The Atlantic Coast Line, the railroad that touches Elba and runs through South Alabama Georgia and many other states is now in the "booster" business and is doing fine work in showing up the advantage of this and other sections along its line.

There has been a great improvement in all lines of business where this road touches, and now it is spreading broadcast the good news throughout the north and west, and is giving facts and figures to prove that this is the part of the country that offers the best returns from all lines of endeavor.

The pamphlet the Coast Line is sending out is not filled with "pipe dreams" but is a compilation of facts, backed by photographic pictures that cannot lie and contains such information as every man seeking a home would want to know. It tells of the splendid yield of crops, adaptability of the soil, and the unlimited and unqualified opportunities for making a home and making money in this section and all along the line of this road.

It is a good work the A. C. L. is doing, something that has long been needed, something that no other concern has ever had the business foresight, or generosity to undertake. This advertising has cost the A. C. L. big money, but will benefit the read and every citizen in this territory.

Our hat comes off to the management of the Coast Line, we, in common with every citizen of this territory, owe them many thanks, and the new settlers they will bring in this section will also cheerfully acknowledge a like obligation when their crops begin to come in.

**Baptist Bazaar.**

Members of the Ladies Aid Society of Elba Baptist church are making preparations to hold a bazaar at some central location in Elba on November 29th and 30th.

Many useful and beautiful articles are being prepared to be sold at the bazaar and in addition oysters, severed in all styles, will be sold each day.

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## Chrysanthemum Display.

The second annual chrysanthemum show of the Elba I. & M. Association was a great success and attended both afternoon and evenings by all the ladies of this section interested in flowers.

The prizes were awarded by Mesdames Price, Simmons and Owen, the judges, were distributed as follows:

For the best five pot plants Mrs. W. P. Boyd won first prize; Mrs. M. S. Carmichael, second; Mrs. Tatum, third.

For best single stem plants Mrs. Tatum won first; Mrs. Carmichael, second and third.

For best cut chrysanthemum Mrs. Carmichael won first and Mrs. Tatum second.

In class D, for best five cut chrysanthemums, Mrs. Tatum won first prize and Mrs. W. P. Boyd second.

For best single chrysanthemum Mrs. W. P. Boyd won first prize and Mrs. Tatum second.

A special prize for best beginning was awarded Mrs. Patrick.

In class G, for best single ferns, first prize was given Miss John B. B. B.

For best collection of ferns Mrs. W. P. Boyd was given first prize, and Mrs. Tatum second.

For best display of roses Mrs. J. F. Saunders was awarded first prize.

For best exhibit of Chrysanthemums and cut flowers Mrs. Tatum was given first prize.

**N. T. Bass Kills Self At Auburn.**

Within Six Feet Where Judge Guiltate Committed Suicide.

Montgomery Advertiser. Auburn, Nov. 2—In his story, within six feet of the spot where Judge W. B. Guiltate killed himself about a month ago, and using the same revolver, N. T. Bass committed suicide this morning. Bass had purchased the business after Judge Guiltate's death, and thus the establishment is deprived of a proprietor twice, within a few weeks, by suicide.

The revolver which figured in the fatal coincidence has lain untouched and unloaded, in the store, since the first tragedy, a month ago. Several attempts have been made to sell it, and one man, Tobe Betts, a deputy sheriff, was on his way to the store to buy it, this morning. He came a half hour after the shooting.

## MORE STEALS FROM UNCLE SAM'S PURSE

Another Customs Scandal Reported From New York.

RUNS INTO THE MILLIONS

Collector Loeb Finds That Certain Importers Have Been Getting Rebates and Thereby Robbing United States Government of Large Sums.

Another alleged leakage in the customs service, whereby it is estimated that duties ranging into the millions have been diverted from the federal treasury, is being investigated by William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York. The inquiry deals with rebates allowed importers of fruits on shipments reported as decayed or unfit for market.

Owing to the fact that the number of inspectors was too small to permit examination of all cargoes an agreement was reached some time ago between importers and the customs officials whereby, if an allowance for decay was claimed, an inspection of only five per cent of the cargo was made, but percentage of the decay found in this portion alone applied to the entire cargo. It is now claimed that frequently the rebates thus allowed were excessive.

Rebates on lemons are said to represent the greatest loss and unofficial estimates of the amount turned from the treasury on this item alone since the McKinley tariff law became effective, range from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000. The duty paid on lemons since 1898 exceeds \$18,000,000.

**MAY ABANDON MINT.**

More Than \$1,000,000 In Bullion Transferred From New Orleans.

Following an order made known from the director of the mint at Washington, to the effect that all gold bullion in the New Orleans mint should be shipped to the Philadelphia mint, more than \$1,200,000 in bullion has been transferred. Additional shipments of more than \$2,000,000 will be required to complete the transfer.

Recently a part of the money in the local mint was shipped to Philadelphia. While no definite announcement of an abandonment of the mint at New Orleans has come from Washington, the action of the director apparently indicates that the reopening of the establishment is not contemplated for the present.

George E. Roberts, director of the mint, said that the New Orleans mint would be abandoned for the present. When operations may be resumed is not known.

"There is not enough work to keep all the mints in operation," said Mr. Roberts. "It is with difficulty that three of the mints are kept working. There are no plans further than the present as to the New Orleans mint. The gold bullion there is being transferred to Philadelphia."

**BOLL WEEVIL CUTS YIELD.**

Mississippi and Louisiana Cotton Crop Reported Below Normal.

The Pictayune in its report on the condition of the cotton crop in Louisiana and Mississippi says: "Now that the first heavy frost of the season has occurred and in many places the first freeze, the work of accurately estimating the cotton crop will soon be begun. The crop, it is conceded, will be somewhat larger than was anticipated some months ago, when it was thought that frost would occur earlier and put a stop to the maturing of the crop. While it seems that the crop ranges from 25 to 50 per cent below normal, it will still exceed that of last year in all probability.

"Undoubtedly the boll weevil was the cause of a greatly reduced yield. Many farmers will resort to greater diversification, but in few instances there any talk of abandoning cotton raising. The infected stalks will be burned and cotton will be planted and raised next season under more scientific methods, although the acreage in a good many sections will be reduced."

While at work in the yards of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad at Thomaston, Ga., Oscar Kirkpatrick, transfer clerk in the car inspecting department, had both legs crushed by a switch engine, and has since died.

Six billion feet of lumber valued at about \$15,000,000 were destroyed in the recent forest fires upon the national forests in Montana and northern Idaho. The total area burned over in this one district was put at 1,250,000 acres.

Ray King, a Glencinnat actor, took his life by swallowing carbolic acid in his room at a hotel at Pontiac, Mich. He had been dead for several hours when his body was found.

## Mr. James Murphee Dead

Last Friday Mr. James Murphee died at a Baltimore hospital after a lingering illness from stomach trouble. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the former home of Mr. Murphee at Troy.

Mr. Murphee was well known here. For a short time in 1898 he was a merchant here. In 1899 he founded the First National Bank of Elba, and was its cashier for four years. He made a great success of the bank, selling out his interest in 1903 and went to Huntsville, where he remained a short while, returning to Troy, where he established the Troy Bank and Trust Company, which thrived rapidly. Several years ago he moved again to Huntsville and established a National bank in that city, which soon grew to be one of the great banks of North Alabama.

Mr. Murphee was progressive a most capable business man, who made strong friends. He had many friends in and around Elba who will deplore his death.

**FOR PERJURY.**

Witness in Tiger Case Bound Over.

In County court yesterday the case of Steve Young, charged with selling a put of whiskey to Charlie Holloway, was tried. Only one witness appeared before the court and before the grand jury in the case, Charlie Holloway. When the trial came up yesterday he told how he had gone to the place fixed by him and Young, got a put of whiskey, and then dropped the money therefor out in the open, some thirty yards away just out in the open, at no particular place, as he had been instructed to do by Young. The witness instructed the sheriff to summon a member of the last grand jury by which the true bill against Young was found. The grand juror was brought in and testified that Holloway had testified much more strongly before the grand jury.

The solicitor then asked the juror to bind over Charlie Holloway to the next grand jury on a charge of perjury, stating to the juror that the ends of justice would be subserved by so doing. The Court proceeded to bind over Holloway under a bond to wait the action of the grand jury on a charge of perjury. Holloway gave bond, and was released. Young was acquitted on the charge him.

Sweeping across eight blocks in the eastern section of Monroe, La., a fire destroyed fifty-one buildings, including the city hospital and the passenger station of the Little Rock and Monroe railroad. Forty-nine of the buildings were small residences, nearly all of them occupied by negroes. The total loss is \$50,000.

In a freight wreck at Wabash, Miss., 13 miles north of Meridian, on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, Engineer Homer Jenkins and Fireman Jones, both of this city, were seriously hurt. Engineer Jenkins and Fireman Jones were on a through freight, which ran into the tail end of a local freight. In addition to the two men injured, several cars were demolished.

Rochelle, Ga., was visited by a disastrous fire Sunday morning when the brick warehouse of the Rochelle Gin and Cotton Company, with its contents of 500 bales of cotton, was consumed. The total loss is \$45,000, partly covered by insurance. Many farmers had cotton in it, holding for higher prices.

Private telegrams at Helena, Mont., say that four persons were killed in a collision between a passenger train and a stock train on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway between St. Paul and Miles City, Mont. Among the dead was W. D. Hill, of Miles City, a wealthy stock man, and his son.

News of the death of Hugo Richards, Garden, organizer and captain of the famous Confederate Palmetto battery, reached New York from Southport, N. C. Death was caused by apoplexy. Mr. Richards was 70 years old, and was born at Columbia, S. C. He was a lawyer in New York for twenty-five years.

POOR ORIGINAL

BLEED THROUGH



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ELBA, ALA. NOV 8 1910.

The wise-ones say the next congress of the United States will be in the hands of the democratic party. At least the house of representatives will be democratic by a good majority.

The streets of Elba were crowded Saturday with people from all sections of Coffee. And it was a buying crowd too, even the rain could not keep them from buying a lot of things to take home with them.

Report of the soldiers who were on duty in Montgomery guarding a negro in jail, reads like it might have a portion of some South American army. There were seventeen officers and five private on duty.

Old men do queer things. A man over 80 years of age married his sister-in-law out west. She was a huxum widow who registered her age at 46. The old gent declared that his children were anxious about his millions and that this lady was a better friend than any of them and he proposed to have his own way despite their opposition, so he "skipped by the light of the moon" with his affinity.

Hon. Thomas S. Frazer, of Union Springs, state senator from Bullock and Macon counties, is a candidate for president of that august, dignified law-making body.

Don't wait until the last minute to pay your poll tax. Remember the unexpected and most important election held last year.

You can never tell what will happen. The safest plan is to be always prepared, and, again, remember that the small amount of poll tax (\$1.50) paid by you goes to benefit the public school of your own community. This alone should be an incentive to every loyal citizen to pay his tax promptly. I should be regarded as a privilege to help maintain a good school for the benefit of the boys and girls of your community.—Linden Democrat.

The peanut is destined to become one most valuable of our many Southern products. Before many more years peanut oil mills will be as cotton seed oil mills, or it may be that the cotton seed mills will so improve their plants as to adapt them to crushing both cotton seed and peanuts. Peanuts make a very fine grade of oil, and the peanut cake or meal is said to be as valuable as cotton seed meal as a stock food.

Notice of Sale of Lands.  
In the matter of the estate of Willie May Baggett, late of Elba, Alabama, deceased, the undersigned, as Guardian for the above named minor, will on Monday the 14th day of November 1910, sell at public auction, in front of the court house at Elba, Alabama, to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands, to wit:

An undivided one third interest, less a 1/32 interest, owned by Willie May Baggett, and a 1/32 undivided interest owned by William Alton Baggett, each of said interests being in and of the South half of NW 1/4, of Sec. 7, Tp. 3, R. 22, E., less two acres sold off and occupied as a church lot and cemetery, and two acres in South-west corner of NW 1/4 of N 1/2, of Sec. 7, Tp. 3, N. R. 22, E., said two acres lying and being between the West boundary line of said quarter and the public road running North and South, all in Coffee county, Ala.

Given this the 24th day of October 1910.  
W. L. Baggett,  
Guardian.

Weldon Out Off: The work on the double track cut off, with concrete and steel viaduct is well under way.



(Same Garment with Convertible Collar)

## Only One Presto Coat Like This.

Don't be confused by the innumerable convertible collars on the market. The Convertible Collar is simply a patented principle. It made right it is graceful in either position and has a genuine usefulness. Made any other way, it is a nuisance and tends to detract the life of the overcoat.

The Presto Collar Overcoat we sell, made by Goldstein, Beckman & Co., has the necessary tailoring and genuine fitted workmanship to properly express the convertible life of the overcoat.

This is the only overcoat of common reputation which is made of ordinary wear—turn up the collar and you have a warm coat—and nothing needed to style or richness. It is one of the best, and we believe the only convertible collar that is stylish, useful and correctly tailored to keep both its style and usefulness.

CLARK & PATRICK.

# JUST A FEW MORE WEEKS!

And some person is going to pull down a \$400 piano at this store, and get a prize that will be a pleasure all their life, at not one cent of cost to them.

Such ad opportunity will not come to you again, and you owe it to yourself and your friends to take an interest in the contest and help your favorite to win.

Phone The City Drug Co and we will send for your prescriptions and return the medicine to you at once.

Standing of Contestants Nov. 7.

Mrs. Minnie Lee Thomas	1146110
Miss Odessa Parker	1112455
Miss Estell Butts	1096439
Miss Glennie Rowe	922505
Miss Minnie Foley	694235
Miss Grace Rubenstein	621885
Miss Rosie Lee O'Neal	608425

Votes will be counted every Monday hereafter.

Our stock of Post Cards, Fine Perfume, Toilet Soap, and other toilet goods is absolutely perfect

**City Drug Company,**  
Southwest corner court square. ELBA, ALABAMA

# J. N. Ham, Jr. Announces the opening of a complete GENERAL STORE

in the store recently occupied by the Wise-Ham Grocery Company. The new goods are already beginning to arrive, and soon one of the nicest and most complete stocks of dry goods, hats, clothing, shoes and general merchandise ever shown in this section will be on display.

"Jim Ham," as he is well and favorably known, is well acquainted with the mercantile needs of this section, and he will carry the lines of goods that are needful, popular, and correct in value and price.

Attention is called to AMERICUS fine shoes for men and women and DIXIE GIRL for misses and children, and the other lines of Geo. D. Witt, which will be handled here exclusively. Only all leather shoes will be sold here, and we are right behind them all with our guarantee.

Messrs Arthur Guy, Gap Wise and Wesley Ham are here with us, and they along with J. N. Ham, Jr., will be glad to meet old friends and patrons and acquire new ones.

Good goods, close prices and square dealing will be our motto. Come to see us.

**J. N. HAM, Jr.,**  
North Side Square, Two Doors West of Postoffice.  
Elba, Alabama.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Fitch

## Locals-Personals

"Mound City Paints many cost a trifle more, but—  
Planters Trading Co.

Sheriff and Mrs. Knight spent Sunday here.

Mr. L. O'Neal of Enterprise was here the first of the week.

Chancery court convenes at Elba, Friday November 18.

Lot of fine new syrup just received at W B Cain

Mr. W. J. Moore, of near Pink, was here Saturday on business.

Messrs Fred Holloway and Alons Bryan were over from Opp Sunday.

The Methodist Ladies Aid Society will have a bazaar the first and second days of December.

Messrs C. R. Davis and R G Hutchinson, Elba drummers, spent the week end at home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. McLeod, of Opp, were here Sunday.

Mr. L. C. Powell attended the funeral of Mr. James Murphree in Troy yesterday.

County Supt. Byrd, paid the teachers Saturday. He reports the schools in a thriving condition.

Among the Enterprise attorneys who attended court here yesterday were Messrs C. W. Simmons, R H Arrington, J. M. Young, and H. H. Blackman.

We have received a big supply of roasted coffee of all kinds. Try it while it is fresh.

Superintendent Byrd, of Enterprise, was here Saturday on official business.

Miss Kate Dowling of Daleville, and Mr. Fred Downing, of Ozark, were here the first of the week visiting friends.

Work on the new Methodist Church is being pushed and the building committee expect to have the house ready for service in a short time.

The Atlantic Coast Line will put on cheap rates from all points in the North for home seekers this month. This road will bring the people to see the country along all their lines.

The Strickland Piano Company, of Dothan, has an advertisement in this issue to which we invite attention. This company carries a line of splendid instruments and has sold a number of pianos and organs in the county that we are told, have given perfect satisfaction to the purchasers. Read their adv. and write them if you want anything in their line.

No ready trimmed hat can give the perfect satisfaction that one finished to your individual ideas and to suit your own style of beauty can give. The satisfaction of knowing that you have have just what you want, and just what is most becoming, is worth far more than the few cents you save by buying a hat of the hand-me-down kind.

Miss D. Blocker.

Mr. A. V. Buck is giving his whole time to insurance business now and solicits the patronage of all the people through the columns of The Elba Clipper this week. Mr. Buck is well up on all insurance matters and is well qualified to look after all business of this kind given to his care. Consult with him if you want or need insurance and he can help you to decide on the kind of insurance best suited to your business or condition.

The warehouses of Elba are filled to the doors with cotton that is being held for a better price. The crop is undoubtedly short and it is predicted by all cotton dealers that the price will be better a little later on.

## OSWALD WEST.

Democratic Candidate For Governor of Oregon.

TO FINISH CANDLER'S WORK.

Former Governor Northern Appointed as Governor of Georgia Records.

Former Governor W. J. Northern has been appointed by Governor Joseph M. Brown to succeed ex-Governor Alan D. Candler as compiler of the Colonial, Revolutionary and Confederate records of the state of Georgia.

Governor Northern has notified Governor Brown that he will accept the appointment, and will immediately take up the work where Governor Candler left it off when he was seized with the illness which resulted in his death a few days ago.

For the important work which he has been chosen to do Governor Northern is especially well qualified.

PREDICTS A LANDSLIDE

Chairman Mack Takes Optimistic View.

A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY

Chairman of Democratic National Committee Believes That the Party Will Be Successful in the Coming Elections—People Sore on High Cost of Living.

Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, predicts a Democratic landslide in the coming elections.

"One of the principal reasons for Democratic success this year," he is reported to have said, "is the high cost of living. That is one of the real fundamental issues of the campaign. There is hardly a man whose wife has not asked him for a 25 per cent increase in her allowance for household expenses."

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Cheatham's Big Four Corn	2.60	7.50	2.50	4.50	Cheatham's XXX Rye	2.50	7.35	2.40	4.45
White Rock Corn	2.80	8.00	2.60	5.00	Cheatham's Magnolia Rye	3.25	9.50	3.00	5.75
Cheatham's Two Stamp Corn	3.00	9.00	2.80	5.50	Cheatham's Liberty Bell Rye	4.00	11.00	3.50	7.00
Old Hickory Corn	3.00	8.75	2.80	5.20	Cheatham's Gold Band Rye	5.00	14.00		
Fowler's Corn	3.25	9.50	3.00	5.75	White Rye	3.25	9.50	3.00	5.75
Cheatham's Silver Hill Corn	3.50	10.50	3.00	5.75	Cheatham's Lincoln No. 6	3.25	9.50	3.00	5.75
Cheatham's Indian Corn	4.00	11.00	3.50	7.00	Cheatham's Lincoln No. 8	4.00	11.00	3.50	7.00

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This is one point that all should watch about their bodies—the cleanliness of the bowels. Keep them clean and free from obstruction. Do this by using one or two movements of the bowels each twenty-four hours. If your system does not do this naturally, in the process of eating and drinking, you must obtain aid of some kind. After finding out that certain foods and much less relieve you for a day, but find you up worse than ever the next day, then try a simpler and more natural remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

For the skeptical the best way to begin is to send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. Use it as directed and if it convinces you that a brief continuance of its use will relieve you permanently—that it will train the stomach and bowel muscles to work naturally at certain hours—then buy it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, just as so many others are doing. They began with a simple bottle, then bought a one dollar bottle, and now, fully convinced of its merits, they buy the one dollar family size. All the members of the family can use it down to the very youngest.

A brief use of this grand laxative tonic will cure constipation, its worst form, indigestion, liver trouble, sick headache, sour stomach and such ailments which keep you in continuous good health at a very small cost. Such is the experience of many families like that of Mrs. Oscar Pomeroy, Cincinnati, Ind. J. P. Daniels, Esq., Tex., and hundreds of others that could be named.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire for yourself or family pertaining to the stomach, liver or bowels absolutely free of charge. Explain your case in a letter and he will reply to it at once. For the free sample simply send your name and address on a postal card or otherwise. For other request the doctor's address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 1500 Caldwell Building, Monticello, Ill.

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Tickets will be on sale November 9th, 10th, 11th, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Savannah before noon of November 12th, 1910. All tickets returning limited to reach original starting point not later than midnight of November 15th, 1910.

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Mr. J. L. Morrow is president and general manager of the Morrow Mercantile Company, J. O. English is secretary and treasurer, and Y. W. Rainer is vice-president. Mr. J. B. Amos remains at the book-keeper's desk, and Miss Sydney Rainer at the dress and women's goods department.

Each and all of the stock-holders and employees would be glad to meet old and new friends. The new concern will have a liberal policy. In a few days some special bargains will appear in this space. Watch for them.

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Like the prophet of old, we can say: "surely we have a goodly heritage, yea, the lines have fallen to us in pleasant places".

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Banks are becoming more and more the custodians of the funds of the people, of both large and small means. This is due to a wider appreciation of the value of banking service as its usefulness is extended and its methods become better known. In the case of

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service is assured. Its officers aim in every way to protect the interests of its patrons, making use of every means of precaution. It's up-to-date system of accuracy, promptness and the same careful attention to large or small depositors. It is a safe bank. It is he bank for all the people—rich and poor, men, women and children. If you have any banking business to transact, come to

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I will survey your lands and probate your deeds. Write, phone or come to see me many miles of new line built, grades reduced and the line relaid with 85 pound rail. This work will be completed about December first.

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**BROCKTON.**

By B. F. WEAVER.

(All communications intended for this department should be addressed to B. F. Weaver, New Brockton, Ala.)

On last Monday just before time to mail news from here, Miss Kittie Marsh was found in the hall of her home in an unconscious condition, her clothing having been burned. She was dead by the time medical aid could reach her. It is believed her clothing caught fire accidentally while she was sitting near the fire.

Miss "Kit" as she was called was a remarkable character. She lived alone and by careful economy had acquired considerable property.

Mr. Horace Brock is back again after several weeks absence in Geneva.

Miss Annie Bell Coley who is teaching at Arwood, went down to Newton to see home folks Saturday.

Prof. L. E. McKinnon from Robinson Springs school was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dean went down to Enterprise Thursday, on a shopping tour.

Miss Jane McRee after several weeks here the guest of Mrs. Weaver has returned to Enterprise.

There is talk of a new industry for Brockton, to be established by Brockton capital. We hope to give details soon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brunson left Saturday for a visit to their children at Florida and points in Florida.

The pupils of the high school department met with the teachers of the school at the principal's home Friday night and spent the time with jokes, stories, songs and games.

Sheriff Knight and wife stopped here Friday on their way to Elba.

Rev. H. B. Urquhart, the Methodist Pastor here preached two strong logical sermons at the regular services Sunday.

Miss Etta Peacock left Friday for Midland City the home of her sister Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. M. A. Shaw came in Sunday from an extended visit to relatives in Georgia. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Powell who is on a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson from Tallapoosa county were here Saturday. They are moving to a farm they have purchased near town. We can offer a neighbor welcome to people from "up the country".

The school is still progressing nicely. Some new desks have been ordered to meet the increasing attendance.

**Farmers' Academy.**  
Farmers Academy is not found on the maps but it is the most progressive, up-to-date small pole in Coffee county—yes in Alabama.

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A special invitation is extended to all the ladies to come and see our line of dress goods. The nappiest line ever shown in Elba, and at the very lowest prices. See the line before you buy.

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**Sunday School Convention.**

Held With Victoria School November 6th, 1910.

After devotional exercises by J. F. Patterson, the N. E. District S. S. convention was called to order by the district president, J. L. Snider, and A. J. Wise was elected secretary.

Proceeded to carry out the programme previously announced as follows:

"Some methods of conducting a S. S." discussed by A. J. Wise, Sr. "The need of trained teachers" discussed by Dr. W. C. Braswell. Called roll of schools in district thus:

Chestnut Grove, not represented. Enon, not represented. Farmers' Academy, represented by superintendent, pledged \$7.50. Pine Union, not represented. New Hope, pledged \$2.50. Haw Ridge, not represented. Mt. Zion, represented by F. M. Mixon, supt., enrollment 40, attendance 25; pledged \$7.50. Pine Grove, represented by G. E. Barker, supt., enrollment 44, average attendance good, paid 50c. Victoria, represented by A. J. Wise, Jr., supt., enrollment 150, average attendance 90, pledged \$7.50.

Perdne, represented by J. D. Laster, supt., enrollment 42, pledged \$2.50. Clintonville, represented by J. L. Snider, supt., enrollment 45, pledged \$5.00.

Recess until 1:30.

R-assembled:

"What a Sunday School does for a community" discussed by A. M. McCollough.

"The duties of parents", discussed by C. G. Pope.

"Banner Sunday School district" by G. T. Hildreth.

Address by J. M. Hickman.

"Home department" discussed by J. A. Carnley.

Music for the convention: at the organ until noon, Miss Gusie Brag; in the afternoon, Miss Vallie Patterson. Both members of Victoria Sunday School.

J. L. Snider, Pres. A. J. Wise, Sec.

**CONVENTION NOTES.**  
Weather bad—crowd good. Dinner for all. O. K. Everybody in good humor. Did everybody go in the house? They say Dr. Braswell made a great speech.

And what got the nodding habit to Carnley and forgot to shake his head when Carnley asked "Have you a Home Department?" His reply was a nod of the head. It was a "corker."

Truth is Wise did not know whether they had it or not. New and novel plan to Wise. Ollie Paul in mind, and mixed "rabbits" with "parables."

Ollie knows the difference all right now.

We want it all over again, next time we won't be excited.

Secretary.

**Town Tax Notice.**  
To Whom It May Concern:  
Notice is hereby given that the tax assessment for the Town of Elba, Alabama, for the tax year of 1910 has been completed, and has been returned to the Council, and Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 1910, at 7 P. M. has been set as the time for hearing objections to the assessment and for the Council to make corrections therein and determine the assessment, and the Council will meet in the Council Chamber at said time for said purpose.

Done by order of council on this November 3rd, 1910.  
M. S. Carmichael, Mayor.

**Sewing Machines For Rent**  
by week or month, at low rates. The Singer & Wilson are acknowledged the lightest-running and most convenient of any. Try one and be convinced. Only at the Singer stores. Look for the Red S. Singer Sewing Machine Co. Elba, Ala.

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**CLEAN SWEEP BY DEMOCRATS OVER COUNTY**

**LATE RETURNS ONLY ACCENTUATE OVERWHELMING DEFEAT OF THE REPUBLICANS.**

**The Senate Will Probably Remain Republican In Name, But the Democrats and Progressive Republicans Will Control.**

The sweep of the political tidal wave which rolled over the county is further emphasized by additional returns and revised figures at hand today.

The democratic majority in the house of representatives will be at least 57, and possibly more, as compared with the present republican majority of 43.

Added to the reversal in the lower branch of congress, the morning returns showed the republican majority of 26 in the United States senate rapidly approaching the vanishing point, although the republicans are now reasonably assured of 48 senators, or one more than the necessary majority, with a number of states still in doubt.

John A. Dix, Democrat elected Governor of New York by a plurality of 70,000.

Woodrow Wilson, Democrat, elected Governor of New Jersey, by a plurality of 15,000.

Eugene N. Foss, Democrat, elected Governor of Massachusetts, by a plurality of 80,000.

Judge Simeon E. Baldwin, Democrat, elected Governor of Connecticut by a plurality of 4,000.

Judson Harmon, re-elected Governor of Ohio by a plurality of 15,000.

Emmett O'Neal, Democrat, elected Governor of Alabama by a plurality of 50,000.

Ben. W. Hooper, Republican, elected Governor of Tennessee by a plurality of 15,000.

Rhode Island may elect Waterman, Democratic, Governor.

Indiana has elected a Democratic Legislature and Beveridge will be defeated for re-election.

Democrats capture the lower House of Congress and reduce the Republican majority in the Senate.

**The State.**  
Montgomery, Nov. 9.—Incomplete returns from nearly every county in the state indicate that 100,000 or more votes were cast in the election yesterday, and that Hon. Emmet O'Neal has received 75,000 or more of these. His majority over J. O. Thompson, the black and tan Republican, is 50,000. Scott, the progressive Republican, polled a small and insignificant vote.

Thompson's vote was much smaller than he and supporters believed it would be. If he carried a single county in the state, the returns do not show it. The few counties that have had a habit of going Republican in recent years fell out of this habit this time and went Democratic. This indicated how strongly the Democracy of the state was aroused.

Even Chilton, which has not gone Democratic in twenty years, cast its vote for the Democratic ticket, and Deason, a Democrat, was elected probate judge over Judge Reynolds, Republican, who has been the master of the county for a score of years, and who tasted defeat for the first time in his long career of office holding.

**Election in Coffee.**  
The election passed off very quietly here Tuesday, very little interest being taken. Elba beat

voted only about half its strength, giving O'Neal 135 votes.

Practically all the county heats have been heard from, and the vote has been very light, except in one or two precincts.

The official Board begins canvassing the vote today at noon. Sheriff Knight, Clerk King, and M. S. Carmichael, who is acting by appointment of the chancery and the other members of the canvass board, are doing the canvassing, on account of Judge Rowe being a candidate; he has taken no part in naming managers and canvassing returns, except doing a good deal of the work at the request of members of the board.

**Residence Burned.**  
Hon. J. A. Carnley had the misfortune to lose his home by fire Tuesday night between 7 and 8 o'clock. The fire was discovered by Mrs. Carnley, who first noticed sparks dropping through the ceiling in the dining room. She promptly sent in an alarm to the telephone exchange and the fire department. A crowd gathered in a few minutes but it was apparent that the house could not be saved, as the whole inside of the roof was in a blaze, and all effort was directed to getting out the furnishings, as a consequence a good portion of the furniture was saved.

When the fire companies arrived they directed their efforts to saving nearby homes and succeeded in preventing the fire from spreading.

Mr. Carnley's home had only been completed about a year, and was one of the prettiest residences in town. His loss on the house was something over \$2,000 and on the furniture will amount to several hundred, of this amount \$1,350 was covered by insurance.

Ten persons were injured, none of them fatally, when the building on Main street, between Third and Fourth occupied by the Abrens & Ott Manufacturing Company as a city office and salesroom, partially collapsed at Louisville, Ky. Those injured were all employees of the company, which is affiliated with the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company. The property damage is not great.

Three hundred thousand dollars in counterfeit Nicaraguan five peso notes, freshly printed, were seized and the printer who made them, the engraver who made the plate and the man charged with securing their manufacture were arrested at Chicago by Captain Porter, of the United States secret service, and his operatives.

Two of the oldest citizens of Milton county died at Alapattia, Ga., on Thursday. They were Jack Morton, 97 years old, and Willie Chaffin, 83 years old. They had lived in this county all of their lives.

Reports from the vicinity of Cape San Antonio say the Cuban revenue cutter Despeques has been wrecked, with the loss of the captain and all hands except two. An unknown American bark is stranded off the cape. The crew was saved.

A Havana dispatch says: The latest information shows that the deaths caused by the recent hurricane numbered about 100. The tobacco planters are already busy making ready for planting. The press severely criticized the presidential decree inviting all public employees to contribute two days' pay to the storm sufferers.

The jury in the case of John A. Moody, charged with wife murder, returned a verdict of not guilty. The crime with which Moody was charged was committed at Nugent Station, La., last April.